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January 1, 2024

**BY E-MAIL AND ECF**

The Honorable Victor Marrero  
United States District Judge  
Southern District of New York  
Daniel Patrick Moynihan United States Courthouse  
500 Pearl Street  
New York, New York 10007

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**Re: *United States v. Raul Martinez*, 23 Cr. 183**

Dear Judge Marrero:

The Government writes jointly with defense counsel to request a 60-day adjournment of the conference presently scheduled for January 5, 2024, at 10:00 a.m., in the above-captioned case. Parties are involved in discussions regarding a potential pre-trial resolution of the case. The requested adjournment would give the parties the time needed to continue those discussions.

The Government also requests that the time between today and the new conference date be excluded pursuant to the provisions of the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A). The Government respectfully submits that the ends of justice served by granting the proposed exclusion outweigh the best interests of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial. The proposed exclusion will provide the parties an opportunity to discuss a potential pretrial resolution of this case. The defense consents to this request.

**Request GRANTED.** The status conference in this matter currently scheduled for January 5, 2024, is hereby adjourned to March 8, 2024, at 10:30 a.m. Time until March 8, 2024, shall be excluded from speedy trial calculations. This order of exclusion is made pursuant to 18 U.S.C. §§ 3161(h)(7)(B)(i) and (iv).

**SO ORDERED.**

Dated: 2 Jan 2024

Victor Marrero  
U.S.D.J.

Respectfully submitted,

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